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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Happenings of Interest Both General and Personal Gathered Around Town.

Mrs. Dabney Herndon has gone to Old Orchard, Me., to spend the summer.

Mrs. Charles T. Lindsey has returned from a visit to the valley of Virginia. While away she was the guest for a few days of Mrs. William Ashby Byerly, of Bridgewater.

Miss Josephine Cowhig has returned to her home in King street after a visit to friends in Round Hill, Va.

Mr. John Langley is quite sick at his home in north Royal street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey A. Sutherland, of 820 Oronoco street, have been notified of the safe arrival overseas of their son, Clinton E. Sutherland.

The monthly meeting of the city school board was held last night. Only five members attended. The business disposed of was of a routine nature.

At a meeting of the Columbia Fire Engine Company, held Wednesday night, five new members were elected.

Paul Webster Rudd, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rudd, died last night at the residence of his parents, 125 South Fairfax street.

Miss Emma Alsop, of Fredericksburg, Va., and Mr. [redacted] of Westmoreland county, Va., it is announced, were married Wednesday afternoon in Washington by the Rev. A. B. Downs.

Mrs. Frank S. Harper, who is now at Mount Chichester, her summer home in Fairfav county, was the guests of friends here today. Mrs. Harper has as her guests at Mount Chichester recently Mrs. Harriet Kester and her son, Mr. Paul Kester, of Belmont, Alexandria county, and Mr. and Mrs. Kirby, of Washington.

The Willard W. C. T U. will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at 901 Prince street.

PRESIDENT VETOS BILL

Disapproves Resolution That Would Burden Government With Short Lines.

President Wilson yesterday vetoed the resolution adopted by Congress last week extending the time in which the railroad administration might relinquish control of lines not wanted in the Federal system.

The veto had been expected because of a provision added to the bill forbidding the relinquishment of any road where a connecting or competing line was retained. This was construed as meaning that the government would have to resume possession of a large number of short lines relinquished a few hours before Congress passed the bill.

Many if not all of the feeders to main lines, the President said in his veto message, are very important and essential, but there are about 1,700 short lines which are merely private conveniences of logging, commercial and other companies which have not been taken into the [redacted] Some of the [redacted] ed the [redacted]stration to a policy [redacted] not be unfair to the essential short lines. Individual arrangements should be made with each of these companies, however, the President said in "very earnestly" opposing the proposed policy of forcing the government to retain all the lines.

GOES TO DEATH SINGING

Negro Charged With Murder Joins in Tune "I'll Be With Him in Mansion by the Sea."

Annapolis, Md., July 12.—By the first glimmer of morning, Archie Isac, convicted of the murder of Miss Dora Ebert on the track of the Pennsylvania railroad near Odenton last April, was hanged in the jail yard here today.

He met death firmly and joined in hymns with the little band of women of his own race until the drop was sprung.

He insisted to the very last that he did not kill Miss Ebert, but had gone to her assistance when she was attacked by two colored soldiers.

INDICTED FOR MURDER

Grand Jury Returns True Bill In Case Case of James Davis for Murder of Prohibiton Inspector Shelhorse.

A special grand jury, Robert S. Jones, foreman, today inthe corporation court, returned true bills on indictments against James A. Davis, colored, charged with the murder of J. C. Shelhorse, a state prohibition inspector, and John Quill, Eugene Robbins, A. J. Turner and General Dorsette, accused of violating the Mapp prohibition law. Robinson Moncure, attorney for Davis, demurred to the indictment in his case and moved to quash. His motion will be argued next Wednesday. Quill, Robbins, Turner and Dorsette entred pleas of guilty. They were sentenced to serve thirty days in jail and pay fines of $50 and costs.

The murder of Shelhorse occurred June 25, when he endeavored to assist in the arrest of Davis on a train just as it was entering this city. Davis jumped from the train after the shooting and was captured after a short chase. When arrested Davis had nearly $1,300 in his possession.

TEN THOUSAND FLY SWATTERS WILL BE GIVEN AWAY BY CORBY BAKING COMPANY

Swat the fly.

W. H. Thomas, manager of the local branch of the Corby Bakery, is going to have a wire fly swatter in every home in Alexandria next week. If you don't get a swatter it will not be his fault, for this company will distribute ten thousand swatters Monday at every store where Corby's bread is sold here. Those who are unable to secure swatters where they deal will be given them by applying at the bakery.

The swatting of the fly, it is believed, will prove a strong factor in eliminating disease carried by flies.

ODD FELLOWS FROM HERE VISIT FALLS CHURCH LODGE

A delegation of about forty Odd Fellows from this city last night, went to Falls Church, where the newly elected officers of Falls Church Lodge No. 11, were installed by W. Clifton Cunningham, distrct deputy grand master, this city. At the conclusion of the installation refreshments were served.

BONDS OF THE FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN NOW BEING TURNED OUT

Bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan are now being turned out by the thousands daily by the Treasury's Bureau of Engraving and Printing. The bonds are similar in form and design to those of the third loan, and space has been left on each bond for insertion of the exact terms of the bonds.

It is believed that a sufficient number of the bonds will be ready to make possible immediate delivery of all bonds of the fourth loan as they are purchased.

MORE THAN NINETY PER CENT OF SOLDIERS AND SAILORS TAKE OUT INS.

Secretary McAdoo has received the following cablegram from General Pershing:

"All ranks of the American Expe[redacted]onary Forces appreciate deeply the generous measure the government has taken to provide insurance for their famlies, in proof of which more than 90 per cent of men have taken out insurance. To wisely provision for their loved ones heartens our men and strengthens the bonds that unite the army and people in our strong determination to triumph in our most righteous cause."

The Bureau of War-Risk Insurance up to June 28 has written $21,566,000,000 insurance, representing 2,570,455 applications. The average amount of insurance applied for is $8,387, and in some battalions and regiments, some here, every man has taken out insurance. In some units every man is insured for the maximum $10,000.

One of the American generals says that this government insurance is an element of victory. All Liberty Bond holders and all purchasers of War Savings Stamps may feel that they had a part in this insurance—the most just and humane provision ever made by an nation for its fighting men.

Clams, oysters and hard-shell crabs at Jacob Brills, Foot of King street. 165-3t

SUMMON COLORED MEN

Local Draft Board Will Send Twenty-Five Next Friday—Alternates Number Fifteen.

Twenty-five colored men from this city, Alexandria county and other points, who registered here, have been ordered by the local draft board to go to Camp Lee. They will leave at 7:55 o'clock July 19. The board, however, has summoned a total of forty, fifteen being alternates to take the places of any who may be unable to go.

Those summoned are James Johnson, Camp Car, Southern Railway; Arthur Boswell, Arlington; William Ouden, South Washington, Va.; Irylee L. Jackson, Rosslyn; Herbert O. Dixon, 311 Franklin street; Aaron Harris, 125 South West street; Joseph Fields, 118 South Union street; Morris Robinson, 511 North Pitt street; Willam Reed, 1310 Cameron street; Jesse Moore, Rosslyn; Ernest Tyler, 120 Peyton street; Vincent Dorsey, 113 North Henry street; Solomon Penn, South Washington, Va.; Wilmer Stewart, Arlington; Major Wingfield, 227 North West street; Charles Burrell, Coatesville, Pa; Henry Buckner, 309 North Alfred street; Thomas H. Faucett, Washington street; Harry Epps, South Washington, Va.; Donald F. Ross, 416 Gibbon street; George S. Brooks, 332 North Fairfax street; Lester R. Plummer, Washington; James Parks, South Washington, Va.; Ernest Fox, 518 North Pitt street; Harold E. Seeney, Alexandria; Eugene P. Morgan, 501 First street; Herbert A. Holmes, Alexandria; Clinton W. Stewart, 716 North Patrick street; John Bullock, Arlington; Joseph Jones, 110 Woodson court; William H. West, Ballston; Eddie Tate, 315 Princess street; George C. Lewis, 1431 Duke street; James E. Lowe, Ballston; Fleming Woodward, 1020 North Columbus street; Joseph Timbers, 1116 Princess street; William J. Buggie, jr., 1208 Princess street; Pearl A. Burgess, Steelton, Pa.; Abe Banks, 1020 Wythe street; Philip Williams, 521 North Pitt street.

ITALIANS MAKE DRIVE

Extend Line Fifteen Miles and Take 250 Prisoners — Austrian Losses 250,000.

Paris, July 12.—"We have occupied all the villages in the Tomorica Valley above Dobreny," the war office announced last night in its statement reporting the operations in Albania.

"The Italians have taken the Cafa and Genmaka heights, capturing 250 prisoners.

"The Austrians are retiring pillaging and burning their depots."

An official dispatch from Rome reports unchecked advance of Italian troops in Albania, with Berat as an objective. From the Voyusa the Italians have carried all positions to the Semeni in an advance of approximately fifteen miles over a fifty-mile front.

Far from being a "flash in the pan," the Franco-Italian drive in Albania is hourly growing in scope and military importance, The Austrians, still rubbing their eyes, as if were, from the rude awakening they received a few months ago after many months of a veritable rest cure in this almost forgotten theater of war, are now in full retreat on a wide front on both sides of Berat, the clever encirclement of which by the French and Italian forces formed the beginning of the offensive.

Both Rome and Paris were able last night to announce fresh successes.

Evidence secured from Austrian prisoners indicates that the Austro-Hungarian losses during the recent offensive were in the neighborhood of 250,000.

The prisoners say that corporal punishment in the Austrian army, which was abolished last year by Emperor Charles, has been reestablished in practice. Other reports made by the captives tend to confirm accounts of poor wheat and potato crops in Austria. The condition of these crops is said to be particularly bad in Bohemia, in the region of Pilsen.

DEATHS.

RUDD—On July 11, 1918, PAUL WEBSTER, son of Harry W. and Pearl Rudd, aged 4 years, 1 month and 7 days. Funeral from his parents' residence, 125 South Fairfax street, Saturday, July 13, 1918, at 4 p. m. Friends and relatives invited to attend. 165-1t

GARVEY NOW INSPECTOR

Deputy Health Officer Appointed by Dr. Wood and Will Supervise Installation of Sanitary Boxes.

Developments today in the sanitary probe and efforts to clean up the city include the ordering of 400 sanitary boxes to be installed immediately in houses in the unsewered sections by direction of Dr. W. L. Wood, United States Public Health Service.

Appointment by Dr. Wood of Dr. J. J. Garvey, as sanitary inspector of the city.

Opening of rooms for the new sanitary department of the city in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. L. L. Lumsden, of the United States Pubic Health Service, who is in complete charge of the work, is being assisted by the local and state health departments and A. S. Holway, acting chief engineer of the State Health Department, together with Dr. E. G. Williams, state health commissioner, is here on the work. The investigation to determine the cause or causes of typhoid is still in progress and the doctors expect to be able to make their report shortly, it was announced this morning.

The work of constructing the sanitary boxes was begun this morning and they will be built as rapidly as possible. It is proposed to start the work of installing them Monday. The owners of property where they are installed will be compelled to pay the cost of instillation and also the cost of building each box it is is annuonced. Of course, in cases where there are sewers the property owners will be compelled to tap just as soon as they can secure a plumber to do the work.

Property owners representing a total of ninety-two houses were last night arraigned before Justice Luther H. Thompson at a special session of the Police Court, charged with failing to comply with the compulsory sewer tap law. The court gave them until Monday in which to take out the required permit and pay for same. About fifty others will be in court tonight on the same charge.

Hearings will be held nightly until all have been brought up and given an opportunity to comply with the law which has been on the statute books for more than two years. According to Dr. Wood the work of Dr. J. J. Garvey, who was deputy health officer of this city and who is now sanitary inspector, will consist of seeing that the sanitary boxes are properly installed, and he also will assist in the inspection of food shops and the milk supply of the city.

Dr. Wood stated today that his work marks the beginning of extra cantonment sanitation at Camp Humphreys. Their work, he said, consists of the sanitation of houses within five miles of the camp area; malarial work and also getting rid of mosquitoes; inspection of all food shops including hotels, restaurants, soda water fountain stands, fruit stands and such other places with the idea of comprsing the control of communcable diseases, thus protecting the health of the soldiers at the camp by sanitating the extra cantonment area.

The Alexandria Water Company has selected a site for the construction of the filtration plant ordered to be installed by the State Corporation Commisson and he work will be begun at once. The site was picked out yesterday afternoon.

WHITE SOLDIER HANGED

Accused of Attacking Eleven-Year-Old Girl.

Waco, Texas., July 12.—Nat Hoffman, a white soldier, was hanged early yesterday at Camp McArthur. He was convicted of attacking a school girl last April.

The court-martial sentence was affirmed by Washington.

Hoffman was 25 years old and from Pennsylvania. His mother lives in Pittsburgh.

Last April Hoffman met the 11-year-old girl with a boy about her age in a lonely wooded spot near Camp McArthur. The boy was assaulted and ran away, after which the girl was attacked. The affair was reported by the boy to the military police, who soon captured Hoffman.

His only utterance was said to be that he deserved his fate.

Charlie Chaplin in "His New Job" and Mme. Petrova in "The Life's Mask" at the Richmond tonight.

WILL TAP THE SEWERS

Property Owners Representing Ninety Two Houses Appear Before the Police Court and Make Arrangements for Connections.

A special session or the Police Court was held last night, which lasted two hours and a half, for the purpose of enforcing the law which requires persons owning dwellings upon streets or alleys in which sewers have been placed to make connections with the same as soon as possible. The defendants in each case assured the court that they were ready (some anxious) to tap the same as soon as the plumbers could do the work. No fines were imposed, but the cases were continued until next Monday night when the "slackers" will again appeear in court and exhibit their receipts from the city engineer and city treasurer, showing they have paid for their frontage and entered into contracts with plumbers for the necessary work.

Corporation Attorney Garner was present on behalf of the city, also City Engineer Dunn, Councilman Desmond and other city representatives.

The court had one or two stubborn cases to deal with, but all eventually became placable and announced their determination to comply with the law.

As has been anticipated, some of the defendants—mostly colored persons—some of whom have outlived their day of usefulness and are at present unable to enter into any expenditure for the improvement of their humble abodes—were haled before the court. They were dealt with gently and ample time given them to fall in line in the general clean-up now in progress.

The Police Court will meet again at 7 o'clock this evening for the purpose of investigating the cases of many others who have failed to make connection with the sewers.

FRENCH MAKE GAINS

Village of Longpont and Farm Captured — Other Strongholds Also Taken in Smashing Blows.

Pars, July 12.—Driving forward on a five-mile front, the French again made important gains between the Aisne and the Marne, capturing the village of Longpont and several adjacent strongholds, the French war office announced today. German artillery was active in the Verdun sector. The French made successful raids in the Champagne region and north of Montdidier.

"North of Chavigny and east of Faverolles the French accentuated their progress," the communique said. "Longpont village and Javage farm were occupied.

"French troops took twenty prisoners in raids north of Montdidier and in the Champagne.

"German artillery was active along the left bank of the Meuse (Verdun sector)."

LIGHTNING HITS BALLOON

Observation Device Anchored Over the Bath Beach Naval Station Goes Up In Flames.

New York, July 12—An observation balloon anchored over the Bath Beach naval training station was struck by lightning at 9 o'clock last night, and blew up in a burst of flame. The balloon usually carried two or more observers, but a report to the police said no one was in the basket when it exploded. Naval officers declined to give any information.

DRY LEADERS ARE FIRM

Will Reject All Attempts to Modify Prohibition Legislation.

Firmly intrenched in the saddle, Senate "dry" leaders declared they will reject all attempts to modify the wartime prohibition legislation now pending as a rider to the food conservation bill, and intend to hold the Senate in session until a vote is taken on the measure.

It was declared that the temperance forces not only have enough votes to defeat any effort to delay passage of the legislation, but the temperance rider will pass by a two-to-one vote when it comes squarely before the Senate on its merits.

A REMARKABLE ESCAPE

British Submarine Crew Face Death in Undersea Craft—Vessel Damaged by German Destroyers Hides in Depths of Ocean.

London, July 2..—What is it like to the crew of a German submarine which is sent to the bottom by allied destroyers a British submarine's crew which recently had a narrow escape from sinking knows, because it had the experience and came out alive. From dry official sources has been culled this remarkable story of human endurance and nerves of steel.

This British undersea craft was cruising on the North Sea when it sighted several German destroyers, so near that it was forced to dive at the greatest speed. So rapid was the descent that the submarine's helm jammed.

Before the commander could right his craft, a violent explosion, caused by a depth charge fired by one of the German boats, shook the vessel. So severe was the concussion that the crew were lifted off their feet.

Unable to stop the descent of the submarine, the commander was forced to dive to the bottom of the sea. A hasty examinaton showed that the boat was undamaged except that the jamming of the helm. There was nothing to do but lie quiet on the bottom and hide from the pursuers the craft's whereabouts.

There came a second explosion, as violent as the first. All motors were stopped and even the ventilating apparatus was shut off. During the twenty minutes following the craft was again carefully examined, without signs of a leakage.

Suddenly the stout hearts of those on board were shaken to the limit of their endurance. A loud, scraping noise swept the vessel from stem to stern. It was a trawler's sweep, trying to locate the submarine. If it caught on the conning tower or entangled a rudder, the men were lost

Slowly the scraping passed along the boat and then ceased, after what seemed hours to the breathless crew. The sweep had left the vessel free. Hardly has this menace passed when a third explosion, more violent than the other two, agin shook the craft.

Again the boat was examined for traces of damage, and when none was found steps were taken to put her in trim again, notwithstanding the fact that at any moment the attack might be renewed. But the hunters apparently believed their depth charges had done their work, and there were no more explosions.

For eight hours longer, however, the submarine remained on the bottom and then cautiously approached the surface and returned to its base. The commander praised highly the spirit of his men when facing death. Throughout the whole time they showed no sign of panic.

WILL STUDY EDUCATIONAL CONDITIONS IN VIRGINIA

University, Va., July 12.—Director Charles G. Maphis of the University of Virginia Summer School, professor of secondary education of the university, has been appointedby Governor Davis a member of the commission to study educational conditions in Virginia, authorized by the General Assembly. The commission is to study the existing laws, conditions and needs of the schools of the state, to make a comparison of those of other states, and recommend needed changes for Virginia schools.

Senator Everett Colby, who has been a member of the commission abroad for relief work, and has been active in the United States in the interest of food conservation, will speak at Summer School Monday on food conservation. Senator Colby is one of two speakers wh will give a special series of lectures on this branch of war work.

The Fourth of July pageant, of which Miss Anna Barringer is the author, was presented to an audience of over 3,000 people, and it is expected near $1,000 will be given to Albermarle County Chapter, American Red Cross, as the result.

Feature moving pictures and Karl Jansen are the Lyceum attractions for this week.

Dr. Douglas McMurtrie, director of the Red Cross Institute for crippeld and disabled men, gave a lecture, illustrated with motion pictures Tuesday night on the rehabitation of wounded soldiers.

ASK $300,000 DAMAGES

D. P. Moore and R. K. Mickey Seek to Recover on Loan Deal—General Shipbuilding and Aero Company Requests Restraining Order.

Coincident with the filing of a joint suit by David P. Moore and Robert K. Mickey in the District Supreme Court yesterday against Tucker K. Sands, vice president and cashier of the Commercial National Bank, of Washington, and J. D. Norwood and Napoleon B. McCanless, of Salisbury, N. C., to recover alleged damages of $300,000, said to have been sustained through the loss of stock to the defendants in what the affidavit terms an illegal manner, the General Shipbuilding and Aero Company filed a petition for an injunction against these defendants from disposing of the stock and for an accounting of $112,000, alleged to have also been acquired illegally.

The General Shipbuilding and Aero Company, a Delaware corporation, is a holding company for the General Shipbuilding Company, of Virginia, which in turn owns the Dean shipyards, at Alexandria, now building destroyers for the United States navy. The company alleges, through its attorneys, Nathan B. Williams and Edward K. Nicholson, that it sought to negotiate a loan with the defendants for $100,000. It was agreed, according to the affidavit, that the borrowers pay the three defendants a bonus of $100,000 for the loan. Agreement was finally reached on May 10. 1917.

The complaint alleges that this bonus was illegal, but to make the operation appear legal the defendants undertook to underwrite 4,500 shares of the 5,000 shares of the capital stock, of no par value, or an amount equal to 90 per cent of the total, and $500,000 worth of 7 per cent preferred stock, or half the preferred issue. This stock was to be held as security for the loan.

The complaint further sets forth that no money was advanced by the defendants, who merely secured credit for $100,000 for the company.

It was arranged, according to the plaintiff, that after the $100,000 in cash should be paid to the company, the stock which the creditors held would be returned upon the payment of $200,000.

It is also alleged that David P. Moore and Robert K. Mickey, Washington, majority stockholders of the company before the arrangements described were entered into, and who are the plaintiffs in the $300,000 action, were ousted from the board of directors and Sands was elected treasurer and McCanless vice president and general manager.

The petition also claims that while McCanless held these two offices he drew 20 per cent of the gross receipts of the company as salary, but that the money was really withdrawn to pay the debt, which, the plaintiff alleges, was never assumed, as no money whatever was paid into the treasury of the company by the three defendants.

Sands, the treasurer of the company, paid McCanless $112,000 in this manner, according to the complaint. The suit of the company asks for an accounting of this money and that the three defendants shall not dispose of the stock or property of the company without the consent or the other members of the board of directors.

AIRPLANE MAIL RECORD

Made From Washington to New York In Two Hours and a Half

Airplane mail from Washington reached New York in two and a half hours Wednesday, including an 8-minute stop at Philadelphia, establishing a record. Lieutenant Dodge left Washington at 11:28 a. m., arriving at Philadelphia at 1 p. m., and Lieutenant Miller, leaving there at 1:08 p. m., arrived in New York at 1:58 p. m. The average speed during the entire trip was more than ninety miles an hour.

Shortening of the average time of the New York-Washington airplane mail flights has resulted from the increasing familiarity of the fliers with conditions usually met. The air route is accurately charted by compass readings every ten minutes and over each of the larger towns en route.

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READY TO COMPLY WITH LAW

At the meeting last Sunday afternoon in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce one of the speakers very logically observed that the work of cleaning up ur city was a matter which affected every individual in the city. Labor is scarce and the city is not in a condition to prosecute every necessary work with the alacrity desired, hence it is incumbent upon each resident to do his or her part in the way of bringing about conditions which will afford no critcism from any one.

While we never have believed there was any real necssity to start an alarm in Alxandria, the alarm has been started and there is nothing for our people to do but meet the allegations and show to the world that Alexandria has not deserved the advertisement given it during the past week.

During the civil war our city was wantonly assailed by the military authorities, it being alleged that serious unsanitary conditions existed here. This was occasioned by the prevalence of smallpox, brought here by refugee negroes from the eastern section of Virgnia and untidy soldiers. The proclamation of the military governor began wth the words: "As Alexandria is rivalling the city of Cologne for bad odors, it becomes necessary, etc."

There were no sewers in Alexandria at that time and but few cases of typhoid fexer existed. There never was an epidemic, the cases being sporadic, as, in a measure, is the case every summer.

Only a few residents summoned to the Police Court last night to show cause why they should not be fined for neglecting to tap sewers failed to respond. Some were sick and unable to appear. Those present realized the nced of making connections and assured the court that orders for the work would be given immediately. Some had already turned in their orders. Others supposed they had complied with the law when they paid the city for bringing the sewers to their curbs. The law was explained, and all interested took the matter good naturedly. No difficulty is anticipated in any case.

Many residents were busy yesterday in removing ashes, rubbish, etc., which had accumulated upon their premises. In fact, a general clean-up is in progress.

Storekeepers are using netting over certain articles of food, in accordance with the law, and the members of the police force are makng close inspections in every section of the city.

It is hoped the good work will go on, and within a short time the ban under which our city is now suffering will have been removed.

WANT FERRY LINE

Representatives of the commercial portion of the community are again considering the advisability of re-establishing a ferry line between Alexandria and the opposite Maryland shore. At a meeting this week it was shown that the time had come when the trade of this city and Maryland should again mingle. Measures, it is said, will be taken for the re-establishment of the line and the recovery of what was at one time an important part of our business life.

It would be necessary to rebuild the wharf on the opposite side, and the road leading therefrom should be repaired. A small double-end steamer of the type of the old "Alice Fox" and "Virginia" would be requisite.

In the olden time many of the country people who attended the Alexandria market resided in Maryland opposite Alexandria. They disposed of their produce here and spent most of the money received with Alexandria merchants. The population of Prince George's county has increased greatly in recent years, and many would make Alexandria their purchasing point were a ferry in operation.

The "Alice Fox" is not remembered by the greater number of the present generation. This little steamer, commanded by Captain Griffin, was beached on the opposite side of the river in 1861 and allowed to go to pieces. The "Virgina," which succeeded her at the close of the civil war, was commanded by Captain Smith. This steamer was withdrawn from the route a third of a century ago and wrecked.

Back in the thirties of the last century a ferry steamer plied between Alexandria and the opposite Maryland shore. The ferry wharf at that time was at a point opposite the present plant of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation. The steamer "Union" on her trial trip exploded her boiler while lying at the Maryland wharf, and a number of people were killed and injured. Later the ferry wharf was moved north. This was known as "Tot's Ferry," and was for many years a well-patronized resort, especially on Sundays.

HOPELESS STRUGGLE

German socialists are getting more and more intractable. They are more open in demanding peace. They became very troublesome last winter, and they are showing a disposition now to be even more troublesome.

Von Hindenburg went to Berlin a year ago and told the deputies that he could win a German peace by August if they would stand by the government. They assented to this, with the further qualification that the casualties should not exceed 1,500,000.

August is pretty near; the end of August is not much more than six weeks away. The million and a half casualties have perhaps not yet been exhausted, but the losses have been enormous, and Von Hindenburg's margin is getting narrow. Yet there is no sign of that German peace. Now the Socialists insist on knowing what Von Kuehlmann's successor is going to do about the peace resolutions before they vote another war credit.

Food and clothing are becoming more serious problems than even in Germany. Russia has been a vast disappointment. The Zeppelins have failed them, and the subbmarines have neither starved England nor kept American troops at home.

The hopelessness of the German struggle grows plainer every days, and one of these days the German army or the German people, or both, will tell the kaiser that they have suffered uselesly long enough. Probably the kaiser understands this, and peace negotiations may have begun.

FEAR OWN SOLDIERS

Demobilization plans of the German military authorities have created consternation in German homes. It was announced that soldiers will be billeted on private families when the war ends, because of the shortage in housing facilties. Immediately there arose a chorus of protest. The newspapers are filled with objections.

No one knows the gentle Hun better than the Huns themselves, so the people are conjuring disquieting pictures of the domestic conditions which will ensue if the kaser's soldiers are foisted on private households. A letter to the Berlin Anzeiger protests strenuously against billeting soldiers in homes where there are young wives or grown-up daughters, adding that the proposed measure threatens "an intolerable intrusion upon family life."

With the fate of Belgian wives and daughters in mind, the government is asked for assurance that it does not contemplate such an "unclean" solution of the housing problem. But as yet the assurance has not been given.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

"W have established the fact that at least $1,000,000 worth of German war bonds were bought in this country by the Busch family, of St. Louis; that is, by Adolphus Busch, A. A. Busch and Mrs. William Busch." This statement was made yesterday by Deputy Attorney General Alfred L. Becker, following the examination of several witnesses regarding the sources of the money used to buy American newspapers for the German government—in the manner the New York Evening Mail was bought.

Since the Germans entered Finland 73,000 workmen there have been arrested and many of them have been executed, declared Hugo Haase, leader of the minority socialists, in a recent speech in the German reichstag, according to a verbatim report published by the Hetvolk. The deputy also criticised German rule in Livonia and Esthonia.

Swedish newspapers publish a statement by a Swede just returned from Moscow that Alexis Romanoff, the only son of Nicholas Romanoff, formerly Czar, has been killed by a bolshevik soldier by means of a bomb.

Navy Department officials are disposed to accept the statement of Sir Eric Geddes that the submarine had been definitely conquered.

The alarming state of the food situation in Vienna is described in a dispatch to the Berlin Tageblatt from its Vienna correspondent, who says: "The daily rations per head are fixed at approximately 3 ounces of bread and flour substitutes, 1 ounce of meat, less than 1-4 ounce of fat, 2 1-2 ounces of potatoes, 3-4 of an ounce of jam and 1-4 of an ounce of war coffee, making the total daily allowance 7 3-4 ounces." These rations may be supplemented by recourse to secret channels and by the payment of exorbitant prices, the correspondent declares. For example, flour can be secured by paying the equivalent of [illegible] a pound; meat, a [illegible] horse flesh at [illegible].30 a pound. Meals at the middle-class restaurants cost $8.50.

A German submarine which attacked the American steamer Lake Forest 1,500 miles off Cape Henry, while she was returning from a recent voyage to Europe, is believed to have been sunk by the steamer's guns after a two-hour running fight. Capt. Herbert R. O. Johnson, United States naval reserve officer in command of the ship, has been commended to the Navy Department for having sunk the U-boat by officers associated with him in the naval reserve.

"We warn you to go barefooted" is a notice to the Berlin public published by the German clothing department. "We notice," continues the warning, "that recently many people have been going about shoeless and stockingless. This is a holy example which every one must follow. Unless our stocks of wool are to go to waste, the practice must become increasingly popular; otherwise compulsion will be resorted to." The newspapers, adds the message, recommend to school children and students not to fear ridicule, but to set the example of going barefooted.

The efficiency of the war machinery is being impaired by the lack in Washington of proper food, high prices, lack of comfortable homes and generally uncomfortable conditions with which the war worker must cope. If this be true now, it will be a more and more powerful factor in hindering war work in the autumn, when a much greater influx of workers is needed.

Field Marshal von Hindenburg is reported to have expressed "savage satisfacton" at the replacement of Mr. Richard von Kuehlmann by Admiral von Hntze as foreign minister.

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$2.50 set, special	$ 1.99
$2.00 set, special	1.59
$1.50 set, special	1.19
$1.25 set, special	.99

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$1.99 pair

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A. Grace Jameson, Executrix.

161-10t

A special meeting of the stockholders of the McLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of directors, the amendment of its by-laws and other business, will be held at No. 107 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., on August 12, 1918 at 10 o'clock, A. M.

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VIRGINIA NEWS

Many thousands of dollars are at stake in a suit begun in Richmond circuit court before Judge R. Carter Scott that involves an act passed by the legislature in 1914 to limit the emoluments of the various fee officers of the State. The suit is that of the Commonwealth against the estate of the late Alvah H. Martin, clerk of the circuit court of Norfolk county and James V. Trehy, clerk of the Corporation court of Norfolk. Under the State's interpretation of the act, the clerk of the Norfolk county court is limited to little above $5,000 in fees and the clerk of the Norfolk court to about $6,500. Actual fees asked ordinarily probably yield more than twice that amount to both of these offices in net fees, it is pointed out.

Miss Mary V. Shiplett, 23 years old, a divorcee, is dead, and W. H. Tyree, 35 years old, a painting contractor, is in a dying condition in Richmond as a result of a colllision Wednesday night which they were riding was demolished by a street car.

Announcement was made yesterday in Petersburg that improvements to cost $250,000 are to be made at Camp Lee and that the work will be begun at once. These improvements will consist of a large veterinary hospital, which it is said will cost $125,000 without equipment, and will be located near the remount station.

Virginia has passed the $12,000,00 mark in the sale of war savings and thrift stamps.

The steam collier Bristol, of Norfolk, arrived at an Atlantic port yesterday with Capt. Percy Firth and 17 members of the crew of the Gloucester auxiliary fishing schooner Georgia, which she sank in collision off the New England coast Wednesday. The schooner went down in two minutes after she was struck.

Announcement is made that 1,000 new officer candidates will arrive at Camp Lee next week. It is reported unoffically that there are now between 25,000 and 30,000 men in training at the cantonment near here.

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AVIATOR FALLS TO DEATH

Harry J. Ross, of Philadelphia, Killed In Texas.

Wichita Falls, Tex., July 122.—Second Lieutenant Harry J. Ross, an instructor, was killed in a flight yesterday when his plane fell at Call Field. His home was in Philadelphia.

Lieutenant Siguard A. Emerson, the other occupant of the machine, was seriously injured. The plane fell only 100 feet.

Belleville, Ill., July 12.—Lieutenant Lee C. Giddings, of Duluth, Minn., an instructor, was killed, and Cadet Edward C. Darlington, of Washington, D. C., was severely injured yesterday afternoon when an airplane dropped 800 feet at Scott Field, near here.

Washington, D. C., July 12.—Louis P. Mutty, a naval volunteer chief quartermaster, was killed by falling from a seaplane at Miami, Fla., July 9, the Navy Department announces. His address was 508 Lincoln street, Townsend, Wash.

The Department also announced that Edward F. Durim, landsman electrician (radio) U. S. N. R. F., was drowned July 7 and that his body was recovered. His address was 1024 Sterling street, Indianapolis, Ind.

READY FOR GERMAN FLEET

No Accurate Estimate of Its Strength Possible.

Allied and American naval officials are unable to form any accurate estimate of the present strength of the German battle fleets, it was said today by Admiral Benson, chief of naval operations. Not only are reports as to what Germany has built or is building conflicting, but every effort to secure positive information in regard to the whereabouts and condition of the Russian fleet in the Black and Baltic seas has met with failure.

Naval officials are particularly interested in the dreadnoughts and battle cruisers Germany my have secured by seizure of the Russian fleets. At least eight modern battleships were in the Baltic and Black seas and four battle cruisers were under construction at points in the Gulf of Finland when the Russian collapse came.

It is estimated that if Germany has obtained all Russian war craft and succeeds in putting them into fighting condition she has been able to increase the strength of her high sea fleet by 25 per cent. Admiral Benson was quite positive, however, of the ability of the allied fleets to deal with the enemy should he venture out.

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Fresh Creamery Butter, pound.....49c
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Men's Union Suits, ...75c, 1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50
Men's Bathing Suits, ...$1.00, $1.50, $2.50, $3.50, $5.00, $6.00
Men's Trunks, ...$7.50, $10.00, $13.50, $15.00, $20.00
Men's Suit Cases, ...$1.50, $2.50, $3.50, $5.00, $8.00, $10.00
Men's Traveling Bags, ...$1.50, $2.50, $3.50, $5.00, $8.00, $10.00
Men's Bath Robes, ...$5.00, $6.50, $7.50
Men's New Ties, ...29c, 55c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50
Men's Pajamas, ...$1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00
Men's Night Robes, ...$1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00
Boys' Shirts, ...50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00
Boys' Pure Silk Shirts $5.00
Boys' Underwear, ... 50c, 75c, $1.00
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Fascinating star, absorbing story, able supporting cast, beautiful settings. A screen picture of superior sort

ALSO—BILLY RHODES COMEDY

GIVES MUCH FOR BRASS FOIL

Shoemaker is Swindled by Variation of Gold Brick Game.

Chester, Pa., July 12.—Paul Kaufman, a shoemaker of this city, today paid $425 and gave up a $50 Liberty Bond to a couple of strangers in exchange for a tin box filled with worthless brass foil in the form of gold pieces. Some weeks ago a stranger visited Kaufman's shop, made himself friendly and told Kaufman that he would like to open a tailoring establishment in this city. His visits became frequent and he introduced himself as Charley Lance. Then he left Chester, telling his shoemaker friend that he would return before long.

He dropped in to Kaufmann's place today while Kaufman and a young man who claimed to be right from California were examining a "box of gold." Lance appeared to be skeptical regarding the quality of the gold and said he would take some of it to Philadelphia and have it tested. The police learned that he visited a nearby saloon, remained there for several hours and then returned and told Kaufman the "gold" was 100 per cent pure, and he considered that the metal was worth about $10,000. It required little persuasion after that to induce Kaufman to draw all his savings out of a local bank to get half of the contents of the box, which he still has. His friend Lance and the man from California left the city on the same train, Kaufman learned too late.

GEN. FOCH FAMILY MAN.

Great Military Commander of Allies Simple in His Tastes and Personal Habits.

Interest in the character of Gen. Ferdinand Foch, Commander-in-Chief of the Allied armies, has resulted in revealing some of the secrets of his every-day life.

His name seems is of Celtic origin. "Foex," which means "fire," and he has the blue eyes of the Celt.

Before the war the general devoted his time between his family and reading and sport. History is his favorite form of literature, and he loves the works of the old French composers. He has a passion for antique furniture, and is particularly fond of trees and the great outdoors.

General Foch's tastes are simple. He eats sparingly, drinks wine and coffee, but no spirituous liquor, and smokes small cigars. He has a habit of letting his cigar go out, and every cigar he smokes must be lighted five or six times. For this reason he keeps an electric lighter in his motorcar.

Horseback riding is the generalissimo's favorite exercise. He is much attached to a thoroughbred which he bought a year before the war, and which goes wherever he goes.

His holidays the General spends at a little seaside place at Finistere, where he talks with the populace, who have great affection for him—particularly the children and young folks.

Former Judge J. K. M. Norton, of Alexandria, addressed a large open-air meeting from the Court House steps, in Leesburg, last Sunday evening. The London Times says: "His address was filled with patriotism, with pleadings for a perfect unity of all people in doing whatever was within their power to help win this war, and was punctuated with flows of spiritual eloquence appealing to all to place their faith and thust in the God of Gods, who alone can help them.

Being but twenty years old and not having the written consent of his parents, Carl F. Plougher, of Arlington, Alexandrin county, war refused a license by the clerk of the circuit court at Rockville, Md., Wednesday afternoon to marry Miss Aimee Eleanor Golden, of Washington.

Alexander H. Karnes was Wednesday in Roanoke found guilty of the murder of Mrs. Amanda Kelley, whose body was found in a field on the morning of June 2, and a sentence of twelve years in the State penitentiary was imposed.

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See—the dual of two women with knives. . This is one of the features of this drama.

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Clearance Sale on all Ladies' Suits, Skirts, Dresses, Waists and Hats. Also Men's and Boys' Clothing. We are revesring nothing. Everything has been reduced from our regularly low prices to a still lower figures. As we have to make room for our Fall line everything must go during this wonderful value sale. Come early and get your choice. We will be pleased to have you open an account with us.

SPECIAL SALE of Taffeta and Satin Skirts—
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AUCTION SALES.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE—Sale of a desirable subdivision, located in the annexed aera, in the City of Alexandria, Va.

By Virtue of and pursuant to the terms of adeed of trust dated December 1st, 1913, executed by W. T. Sledge and Cora C. Sledge, to Douglas Stuart, as trustee, and of record in Deed Book No. 141 at page 78 of the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia (where the land was then located), at the written request and direction of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by the said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises in the extended limits of Alexandria City, Virginia, on July 18th, 1918 at 12 o'clock M., that parcel of ground with the improvements theron and the appurtenances thereto belonging, located on the North west intersection of Braddock Road and Mount Vernon Ave, Alexandria City, Virginia, and rescribed as follows, to-wit—

Known as A. C. Jones' Addition to Braddock, as shown by a deed of dedication of subdivision, duly or record in the land records of the said County of Alexandria, in Deed Book No. 140, page 288, the being bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point where the south line of the property of J. B. & C. C. Smoot, intersects the north east line of the Braddock Road; thence with the south line of the said Smoot property, N. 89, 58' E. 1278.23 feet to where said line intersects the west side of Mount Vernon Avenue; thence with the west line of said Avenue, S. 2, 17', E. 963.65 feet to where the said line intersects the north east line of Bradock Road; thence with the north east line of said road, N. 55, 30', 30" W. 1594.5 feet to the beginning; excepting however, lots numbered 63, 66 & 67, on said plat, which have heretofore been sold and conveyed away, and being the same property conveyed to the said W. T. Sledge by George H. Rucker et als.,

The above described property is subject to the lien of two prior deeds of trust, duly of record in Deed Book. No. 116. page 113, and in Deed Book No. 129. Page 84.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH— Conveyance at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

Douglas Stuart,
Trustee.

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Week days only, 6:20 p. m. Saturdays only 5:05 p. m., and Sundays only 8:18 p. m.

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A. M.—*5.00, †5.40, †6.00, *6.10, 6.20, *6.30, 6.40, *6.50, 7.00, *7.10, 7.20, *7.30, *7.35, 7.40, *7.45, *7.50, *7.55, 8.00, *8.05, *8.10, 8.20, *8.30, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00 11.20, 11.40.

P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.30, 1.40, 1.50, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.25, 2.40, 2.50, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.00, 6.10, 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.20, 11.40. A. M.—12.00.

*Except Sundays and Holidays.
†Except Sundays.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon

A. M.—†5.35, 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.50, 10.35, 11.35.

P. M.—12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35, 5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.55.

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